AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 20, line 22 as follows:

--Figure 9 is another block diagram of a sample computing environment 900 with which the present invention can interact. The system 900 further illustrates a system that comprises one or more client(s) 902. The client(s) 902 can be hardware and/or software (*e.g.*, threads, processes, computing devices). The system 900 also comprises one or more server(s) 904. The server(s) 904 can also be hardware and/or software (*e.g.*, threads, processes, computing devices). The servers 904 can house threads to perform transformations by employing the present invention, for example. One possible communication between a client 902 and a server 904 can be in the form of a data packet adapted to be transmitted between two or more computer processes. The system 900 comprises a communication framework 908 that can be employed to facilitate communications between the client(s) 902 and the server(s) 904. The client(s) 902 are operably connected to one or more client data store(s) ~~1010~~ 910 that can be employed to store information local to the client(s) 902. Similarly, the server(s) 904 are operably connected to one or more server data store(s) 906 that can be employed to store information local to the servers 904.--

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